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E.O. 11652: XGDS-1
TAGS: XO, UK, UR, MV
SUBJECT: SOVIET INTEREEST IN GAN

REF: COLOMBO 4308

1. IN COURSE OF CONVERSATION WITH DCM REPORTED REFTTEL,
ACTING BRITISH HICOM DOUBLEDAY VOLUNTEERED FOLLOWING:

2. "NOT WIDELY KNOWN WITHIN HMG" WAS
PLAN TO HAVE THREE ROYAL NAVY FRIGATES PAY GOOD-WILL
VISIT TO COLOMBO IN FEBRUARY. ONE FRIGATE WOULD ALSO TAKE
BRITISH HICOM COLOMBO TO MALE FOR CALL ON MALDIVIAN
PRESIDENT IBRAHIM NASIR. DOUBLEDAY SAID HE EXPECTED AT
THAT TIME GAN AND OTHER MATTERS OF INTEREST WOULD BE
THOROUGHLY DISCUSSED.
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Message Attributes

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